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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of: Eldridge et al.

Application No.:

09/746,960

Filing Date: December 21, 2000

For:

Over Coated Electronic Contact Structures

(as amended)

Examiner: K. Cuneo

Group Art Unit: 2827

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 27, 2002, the period for response to which has been extended to January 27, 2003 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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IN THE TITLE:

Please replace the current title with the following title:

--Over Coated Electronic Contact Structures--